

1 THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR
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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 JAMES M. BLAIR,
11 v.
12 CITY OF MERCER ISLAND,
13 Defendant.

14 CASE NO. C17-0265-JCC
15 MINUTE ORDER

16 The following Minute Order is made by direction of the Court, the Honorable John C.
17 Coughenour, United States District Judge:

18 This matter comes before the Court *sua sponte*. The trial in the above-captioned matter is
19 currently scheduled to begin March 26, 2018. (Dkt. No. 24.) Due to scheduling conflicts, this trial
20 date is unavailable. The Court ORDERS that the jury trial in this case be CONTINUED to Monday,
21 July 30, 2018 at 9:30 a.m.

22 The Court further ORDERS that trial briefs, proposed voir dire, proposed jury instructions,
23 and proposed verdict forms shall be submitted no later than Monday, July 16, 2018. Objections or
24 responses to these filings shall be due by Wednesday, July 18, 2018. Regarding the proposed jury
25 instructions, the parties shall indicate which instructions they agree upon and which instructions
26 are contested, along with the basis for challenging each contested instruction. Defendant filed
motions in limine on February 16, 2018 (Dkt. No. 35). The Court further ORDERS that Defendant

1 may file supplemental motions in limine by Friday, June 22, 2018. Plaintiff's objections to
2 Defendant's motions in limine (both original and supplemental) are due by Wednesday, June 27,
3 2018.

4 DATED this 20th day of February 2018.

5 William M. McCool
6 Clerk of Court

7 s/Tomas Hernandez
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